

unit of general local government; and H.R. 4827, to provide for the means by which any municipality may elect to have its name included in all mailing addresses within its boundaries. Testimony was heard from Senator Bradley; Representatives Dymally, Saxton, Stump, Brown of California, Dreier of California, Volkmer and Buechner; the following officials of the GAO: L. Nye Stevens, Director, Government Business Operations Issues; and Willis Elmore, Assistant Director, Postal Matters; John G. Mulligan, Senior Assistant Postmaster General, Operations Support Group, U.S. Postal Service; Lee Laskin, Senator, Legislature, State of New Jersey; Thomas W. Brown, Mayor, St. Peters, Missouri; Ginny McGinnis Lambert, Councilwoman, Hawthorne, California; and Margaret Carpenter, Mayor, Thornton, Colorado.

BUDGET PROCEDURES—1991 CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET PROCESS

Committee on Rules: By unanimous consent, reconsidered proceedings by which a resolution providing for the Orderly and Expeditious Consideration of fiscal year 1991 General Appropriation bills was ordered to be reported on June 6, 1990, and postponed further consideration.

RECLAMATION AUTHORIZATION AND ADJUSTMENT ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a modified open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 2567, to authorize additional appropriations for the construction of the Buffalo Bill Dam and Reservoir, Shoshone Project, Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Wyoming. The rule makes in order the Interior and Insular Affairs Committee amendment in the nature of a substitute now printed in the bill as original text to be considered by titles, with each title considered as read. The rule waives clause 7 of rule XVI against the substitute. No amendments to the substitute, except pro forma amendments for the purpose of debate, are in order except those amendments printed in the "Amendment" portion of the Congressional Record at least one legislative day prior to its consideration. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit, with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Representatives Miller of California, Watkins, Condit, Craig and Thomas of Wyoming.

NIOBRARA RIVER SCENIC RIVER DESIGNATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on S. 280, Niobrara River Scenic River Designation Act of 1989. In lieu of the amendments printed in the bill, the rule makes in order the amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in the report accompanying this resolution as original text for purpose of amendment. The substitute is to be considered by sections, with each section considered as read. Finally the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without

instructions. Testimony was heard from Representatives Vento, Hoagland and Smith of Nebraska.

SCIENCE AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology held a hearing on Science and Technical Education. Testimony was heard from Erich Bloch, Director, NSF; and public witnesses.

MAGNETIC LEVITATION TRANSPORTATION AND COMPETITIVENESS ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held a hearing on H.R. 4549, Magnetic Levitation Transportation and Competitiveness Act of 1990. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mrazek, Schumer and Hockbrueckner; Gill Carmichael, Administrator, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation; Maj. Gen. Pat Kelly, Director, Civil Works, U.S. Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army; B. Reid Detchon, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Office of Conservation and Renewable Energy, Department of Energy; James Powell, Research, Brookhaven National Laboratory; and a public witnesses.

LENDER LIABILITY UNDER SUPERFUND

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on lender liability under Superfund. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DEFECTORS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to hold a hearing on Defectors. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

ACT FOR BETTER CHILD CARE

Conferees met on H.R. 3, to authorize funds to expand Head Start programs and programs carried out under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to include care services, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again Thursday, June 14.

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Friday, June 8, 1990

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Five bills and two resolutions were introduced as follows: S. 2717–2721, and S. Res. 298–299.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2104, to amend the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to restore and strengthen civil rights laws that ban discrimination in employment, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–315)

S. 566, to authorize a new corporation to support State and local strategies for achieving more affordable housing, to increase homeownership, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–316)

S. 2014, to direct the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior to provide interpretation and visitor education regarding the rich cultural heritage of the Chama River Gateway Region of northern New Mexico, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101–317)

S. 2059, to establish the Weir Farm National Historic Site in the State of Connecticut, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–318)

S. 2180, to remove certain prohibitions to the licensing of a vessel for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the vessel Arctic Sounder, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 101–319)

S. 2254, to establish the Pecos National Historical Park in the State of New Mexico, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101–320)

S. 2286, to require the Secretary of Transportation to lead and coordinate Federal efforts in the development of magnetic levitation transportation technology and foster implementation of a magnetic levitation transportation system, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–321)

S. 2404, to permit issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the vessel the Lady Rose Anne, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–322)

S. 2430, to amend the Zuni-Cibola National Historical Park Establishment Act of 1988 to enlarge the time in which the Secretary of the Interior may accept a leasehold interest for inclusion in the park. (S. Rept. No. 101–323)

S. 2498, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Sea Devil*. (S. Rept. No. 101–324)

S. 2623, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States, Great Lakes trade, and fisheries for the vessel "Rose". (S. Rept. No. 101–325)

S. 2656, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Pumpkin*. (S. Rept. No. 101–326)

S. 2660, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Bounty*. (S. Rept. No. 101–327)

H.R. 2844, to improve the ability of the Secretary of the Interior to properly manage certain resources of the

National Park System, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–328)

S. Res. 293, concerning Polish debt reduction, with an amendment.

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Measures Passed:

Admiration and Gratitude to Eunice Kennedy Shriver: Senate agreed to S. Res. 299, to express the gratitude and admiration of the Senate to Eunice Kennedy Shriver for her contribution and achievement as Founder and Chairman of Special Olympics International.

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Air Travel Rights for Blind Individuals: Senate resumed consideration of S. 341, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to prohibit discrimination against blind individuals in air travel, with the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Pending:

Kassebaum Amendment No. 2000, to establish guidelines for Federal standards of liability for general aviation accidents.

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A motion was entered to close further debate on the bill and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on the cloture motion will occur on Tuesday, June 12.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and the pending amendment proposed thereto, on Monday, June 11.

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Calamus Dam and Reservoir—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of S. 1875, to designate the Calamus Dam and Reservoir authorized under the Reclamation Project Authorization Act of 1972 as the Virginia Smith Dam and Calamus Lake Recreation Area, with a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, on Tuesday, June 12, with a vote to occur thereon at 9:30 a.m.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Pamela Talkin, of New York, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for a term of five years expiring July 1, 1995.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Andrew C. Hove, of Nebraska, to be Vice Chairperson of the Board of Directors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Constance Horner, Under Secretary of Health and Human Services, to be a Member of the Board of Direc-

tors of the National Consumer Cooperative Bank for a term of three years.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nomination:

Ewen M. Wilson, an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Consumer Cooperative Bank, which was sent to the Senate on January 3, 1989.

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and adjourned at 2:49 p.m., until 1 p.m., on Monday, June 11, 1990. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 13511.)

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Monday, June 11.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, June 11, 1990

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: One resolution was introduced today: S. Con. Res. 138.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1224, to amend the Motor Vehicle Information and Cost Savings Act to require new standards for corporate

average fuel economy, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–329)

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Measures Passed:

Pearl Harbor Commemorative Medal: Senate passed S. 1664, to establish a congressional commemorative medal for members of the Armed Forces who were present during the attack on Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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National Scleroderma Awareness Week: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of H.J. Res. 516, to designate the week beginning June 10, 1990 as "National Scleroderma Awareness Week", and the resolution was then passed.

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Subsequently, the Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 274, Senate companion measure, and the resolution was indefinitely postponed.

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Tongass Timber Reform Act—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that when the Senate considers H.R. 987, to amend the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act to designate certain lands in the Tongass National Forest as wilderness, with a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, on Tuesday, June 12, that any rollcall vote ordered with respect to the bill not occur prior to 5:30 p.m., and that all votes ordered, with the exception of a vote on final passage and a vote to adopt a Garn amendment relative to the Greens Creek land exchange, occur commencing at 5:30 p.m.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Robert C. Bonner, of California, to be Administrator of Drug Enforcement.

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Recess: Senate convened at 1 p.m. and recessed at 6:09 p.m., until 9 a.m., on Tuesday, June 12, 1990. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 13582.)